



## SOCIAL SECURITY

The Commissioner

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The Honorable Shaun L.S. Donovan  
Director, Office of Management and Budget  
Eisenhower Executive Office Building, Room 252  
1650 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20503

Dear Mr. Donovan:

I am pleased to share with you our annual progress report on our Tribal Consultation and Coordination Plan. Since we submitted our last progress report on September 1, 2015, we completed a number of activities to advance our plan. We detail our progress in the enclosed report.

Our Tribal Consultation Workgroup met regularly to review our consultation policies and outreach efforts. We continue to work closely with tribal leaders through our communication, education, and outreach activities.

If you have any questions, please contact me or have your staff contact Nancy Berryhill, our Tribal Consultation Official and Deputy Commissioner for Operations, at (410) 965-3145.

Sincerely,

Carolyn W. Colvin  
Acting Commissioner

Enclosure

**Social Security Administration  
Tribal Consultation Plan – 2016 Progress Report**

The Social Security Administration (SSA) is committed to strengthening our relationship with Indian tribes through multiple initiatives as defined in Executive Order 13175, *Consultation and Coordination with Indian Tribal Governments*.

We would like to provide updates for the following initiatives:

- Improve Service Delivery by Responding to Policy and Legislative Proposals;
- Maintain and Expand Ongoing Communication;
- Outreach to Tribal Community Military Service Members, Veterans, and Families; and
- Continuing Outreach and Tribal Consultation Efforts.

**Improve Service Delivery by Responding to Policy and Legislative Proposals**

Since our last progress report on September 1, 2015, we had two policy and legislative proposals that required consultation:

- Currently, SSA accepts Tribal Identification (ID) cards as secondary identification when applying for services using Video Service Delivery (VSD) sites. SSA met with the Oglala Sioux Tribe in Pine Ridge, South Dakota to discuss a need for tribal members to use Tribal IDs to apply for replacement Social Security Number (SSN) cards using VSD. We created an exception to the VSD policy to accept Tribal IDs as primary identity documentation to be accepted under the VSD enumeration process; and
- Currently, SSA does not provide an option for tribal council members to contribute and receive Social Security coverage. SSA met with the National Congress of American Indians (NCAI) to discuss a concern in Indian Country regarding Social Security coverage for tribal council members. We addressed this concern by collaborating with the office of Senator Cantwell in Washington to develop a legislative proposal to provide the option for tribal council members to contribute and receive Social Security coverage. NCAI was appreciative of our collaborative efforts.

**Maintain and Expand Ongoing Communication**

To improve access and understanding of our programs, we continue to conduct programmatic seminars with Indian tribes and tribal entities. During these seminars, we shared information on our retirement and disability programs, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Medicare “Extra Help”, Medicare State Buy-in provisions, online services and service delivery changes, Faces and Facts of Disability, Wounded Warriors, and the 100 percent permanent and total disability initiatives. We also helped tribal community members create *my* Social Security accounts.

Reflected below are examples of our activities to strengthen our relationship with Indian tribes. Since our last progress report we:

- Donated 927 computer equipment items to 39 tribal organizations (Refer to Addendum Section A);

- Created a national guide for American Indians and Alaska Natives (AIAN) to provide clear and concise information on Social Security benefits;
- Created a national Call-to-Action plan to leverage resources within SSA to strengthen policy, promote hiring and improve outreach and service delivery;
- Collaborated with the Office of Management and Budget and the Department of Labor to add SSA as one of the agency partners on the Native One Stop website to increase awareness about SSA services;
- Re-established a national workgroup with representatives from each SSA region, as well as components who can advise on communications, operations and implement policy changes;
- Created a national map to share geographical information on federally recognized tribes by SSA region, including VSD sites and Field Office locations serving tribal communities;
- Updated regional resource guides to share services and facilitate communications with Native American communities in four SSA regions comprised of 25 states;
- Created a national webinar for tribal members to share information on how to apply for SSA services;
- Created a business process for front line employees on case processing for customers with trust funds and exclusionary resources to ensure accuracy;
- Conducted an evaluation of the Promoting Readiness of Minors in Supplemental Security Income (PROMISE) program for 135 families to provide tribal members with services resulting in long-term reductions in a child's reliance on Supplemental Security Income;
- Granted seven internships totaling \$75,950 to the American University's Washington Internship for Native Students (WINS) program;
- Expanded VSD locations for tribal locations based on an immediate need for tribes in five states (Refer to Addendum Section B);
- Conducted workshops with over 10,000 participants in nearly 100 events (Refer to Addendum Section C); and
- Conducted outreach with tribal communities using nine radio programs, two newspaper articles, two television shows and one online media network (Refer to Addendum Section D).

### **Outreach to Tribal Community Military Service Members, Veterans, and Families**

To raise awareness about our expedited disability claim initiatives for military service members and veterans, we conducted outreach at approximately 30 events in various states (Refer to Addendum Section E).

### **Continuing Outreach and Tribal Consultation Efforts**

We continue to enhance our outreach and consultation efforts with tribal communities by:

#### **1. Seeking Input from Tribes**

- In support of our continued outreach to Indian tribes, we share information about our programs, service delivery changes and respond to customer service inquiries at meetings. Since our last report, we met with 70 tribal organizations (Refer to Addendum Section F).

## **2. Developing Core Consultation Issues**

- Met with the National Congress of American Indians to discuss a concern in Indian Country regarding Social Security coverage for tribal council members.

## **3. Enhancing Staff Training and Awareness**

- Attended the Society of American Indian Government Employees (SAIGE) 13<sup>th</sup> Annual National Training Conference in Tulsa, Oklahoma to share information on professional development and skillsets needed to move into Senior Executive Service with 400 American Indian government employees;
- Conducted training on Effective Communication with American Indian Tribes, which is available to all 65,000 employees on an ongoing basis; and
- Conducted an annual commemorative event, celebrating American Indian and Alaska Native Heritage Month to increase cultural awareness.

## **4. Consulting Regularly with Tribes**

- Met with the Oglala Sioux Tribe in Pine Ridge, South Dakota to discuss a need for tribal members to use Tribal IDs to apply for replacement SSN cards using VSD sites.
- Created an exception to the current VSD policy to accept Tribal IDs as primary identity documentation to be accepted under the VSD enumeration process. We will reach out to other tribes who may be interested in this endeavor.

### Exchanging of Information between SSA and Tribal Governments

- Collaborated with the Department of Justice on completed settlements related to the Tribal Trust Accounting and Management Settlement Agreement to ensure field office staff have updated information to process accurate entitlement and post-entitlement actions for Social Security benefits;
- Met with leadership from the Integrating the Healthcare Enterprises (IHE) to share information on vacancy announcements to increase diversity in critical occupations in Baltimore, Maryland; and
- Shared vacancy information with the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) to share with their tribal partners.

## **5. Additional activities in support of Executive Order 13270 - Tribal Colleges and Universities**

As part of our outreach and communication efforts with tribal governments and tribal colleges and universities, we will continue to:

- Collaborate with Tribal Colleges and Universities on recruiting students to target tribal members who are missing Social Security benefits and provide these opportunities in FY 2017;

- Collaborate with the American University's WINS program to offer Native students internships for the remainder of fiscal year (FY) 2016 and continue this effort in FY 2017; and
- Donate excessed furniture, such as chairs, desks, printers and, computers, in FY 2016-2017.

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Addendum**

A. We responded to resource needs for tribal organizations and donated the following computer equipment items:

- 204 computers to the Pine Ridge Reservation (Pine Ridge, SD);
- 90 computers to Denver Urban Indian Center (Denver, CO);
- 50 computers to the Northern Cheyenne Reservation (Billings, MT);
- 50 computers to the Comanche Nation (Lawton, OK);
- 42 computers to the Denver Indian School (Denver, CO);
- 40 computers to Choctaw Nation (McAlester, OK);
- 25 computers to the Hopi Reservation (Kykotsmobi Village, AZ);
- 25 computers to the Navajo Nation (Farmington, NM);
- 20 computer, 20 monitors, and 2 laptops to the White Earth Ojibwe Band (St. Cloud, MN);
- 20 computers to the Lame Deer Public School (Lame Deer, MT);
- 20 computers to the Pueblo (Isleta, NM);
- 20 computers to the Crow Reservation (Crow, MT);
- 17 computers to the IHS on Standing Rock Reservation (Fort Yates, ND);
- 16 computers, 18 monitors, and 2 laptops to the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe (Bemidji, MN);
- 15 computers and 12 laptops to the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe (Mashpee, MA);
- 11 computers and 20 monitors to the Head Start Youth and Family Services (Rapid City, SD);
- 10 monitors and 5 laptops to the Boys and Girls Club (Billings, MT);
- 10 computers to the Northern Cheyenne Board of Health (Lame Deer, MT);
- 10 computers to the Zia Pueblo (Bernalillo, NM);
- 10 computers to Absentee Shawnee Tribe (Shawnee, OK);
- 10 computers to Kickapoo Tribe (Shawnee, OK);
- 10 computers to Sac and Fox (Shawnee, OK);
- 8 computers, 21 desktops, 25 monitors, 2 laptops and 3 servers to the Red Lake Band of Chippewa (Hibbing, MN);
- 6 computers to the Southwest Missouri Indian Center (Springfield, MO);
- 6 computers and 6 monitors to the Southwest Missouri Indian Center (Springfield, MO);
- 6 computers to Apache Tribe (Anadarko, OK);
- 6 computers to Otoe-Missouria Tribe (Stillwater, OK);
- 4 computers to the Mescalero Apache Reservation (Ruidoso, NM);
- 4 computers to the Ohkay Owingeh Pueblo (Pueblo, NM);
- 4 computers to Pueblo of Acoma (Albuquerque, OK);
- 3 computers to the Delaware Tribe (Anadarko, OK)
- 3 computers to Caddo Nation (Chickasha, OK);
- 3 computers to San Ildefonso Pueblo (Santa Fe, NM);

- 3 computers to Taos Pueblo (Santa Fe, NM);
- 3 computers to Thlopthlocco Tribe (Okmulgee, OK);
- 2 computers to the Little Water Chapter House - Navajo Nation (Gallup, NM);
- 2 computers to the Wichita and Affiliated Tribes (Anadarko, OK);
- 2 computers to Pawnee Nation (Stillwater, OK); and
- 1 computer to Pueblo of Picuris (Santa Fe, NM).

B. Expanded Video Service Delivery for tribal locations based on an immediate need for the following tribes:

- Menominee Tribe in WI;
- Red Lake Tribe in MN;
- Wind River Tribe in WY;
- Turtle Mountain Reservation in Turtle Mountain, ND;
- Rocky Boy Reservation in Box Elder, MT.

C. We also conducted workshops with:

- 1500 participants of the Crow, Northern Cheyenne, Rocky Boy, Flathead and Fort Belknap tribes at the MSU Bozeman Pow Wow in Bozeman, MT;
- 800 participants of the Muckleshoot Tribe at the Muckleshoot Elders Tribal Luncheon in Auburn, WA;
- 800 participants in the Muckleshoot Elders Tribal Event in Auburn, WA;
- 800 participants at the National Congress of American Indians gathering in Spokane, WA;
- 650 participants in the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) Training Conference for Indian Health Social Workers in Oklahoma City, OK;
- 500 participants of the National Indian Health Board in the Tribal Health Summit in Atlanta, GA;
- 500 participants of the Montana Tribes in the Montana State University Billings Pow Wow in Billings, MT;
- 400 participants of nine tribes at the Native American Caring Conference in Pendleton, OR;
- 350 participants in the Pawnee Nation Health Fair in Pawnee, OK;
- 300 participants of the Native American Indian Housing Council in Honolulu, HI;
- 300 participants in the White Eagle Health Fair in Stillwater, OK;
- 300 participants in the Muckleshoot Elders Complex in Auburn, WA;
- 300 participants in the Montana State University Pow Wow in Bozeman, MT;
- 250 participants in the annual Sooner Stand Down Event in Oklahoma City, OK;
- 200 participants of the Potawatomi Tribe in Mayetta, KS;
- 200 participants of the Oglala Sioux Tribe in Pine Ridge, SD;
- 200 participants in the Santo Domingo Pueblo's Health Fair in Santo Domingo, NM;
- 200 participants at the Community Care Connections Project Event in Sault Ste. Marie, MI;
- 150 participants of the Oglala Sioux Tribe in Wanblee, SD;

- 150 participants in the North Slope Borough Benefits Fair in Barrow, AK;
- 130 participants in the Tribal Consultation event with Health and Human Services (HHS) leadership and Tribal Leaders in Denver, CO;
- 100 participants of the Pokagon Band of Indians at the Tribal Elders Business Meeting in Dowagiac, MI;
- 100 participants of the Oglala Sioux Tribe in Kyle, SD;
- 100 participants of the Great Plains Tribal Health Board sponsored by the Tribal Rapid City Community Health Fair in Rapid City, SD;
- 100 participants in the Sac and Fox Nation Elder Conference in Stroud, OK;
- 100 participants in the Rapid City Community Health Fair in Rapid City, SD;
- 100 participants in the Pueblo of Sandia Health Fair in Pueblo of Sandia, NM;
- 100 participants in the Acoma Pueblo Health Fair in Acoma, NM;
- 100 participants in of the Oglala Sioux Tribe in Rapid City, SD;
- 92 participants in the Indian Health Services Event in Oklahoma City, OK;
- 65 participants at an annual Medicare Training Workshop hosted by CMS in Seattle, WA;
- 70 participants at the Miami Nation of Indians membership meeting in Peru, IN;
- 65 participants at the CMS Training Event for Indian Health Service in Seattle, WA;
- 63 participants in the Annual Tribal Administration for Children and Family Meeting in Norman, OK;
- 60 participants in the Shoshone Bannock Tribal Court presentation in Fort Hall, ID;
- 60 participants in the Alaska Native Tribal Health Fair in Anchorage, AK;
- 60 participants at the Haskell Indian Nations University Annual Safety, Health and Wellness Fair in Lawrence, KS;
- 56 participants of the Chickaloon Athabaskan Nation in Chickaloon, AK;
- 55 rural villages of the Southcentral Foundation in Anchorage, AK;
- 54 participants at the Saginaw-Chippewa Tribal Elders Meeting in Saginaw, MI;
- 40 participants of the Suquamish Tribe at the Suquamish Tribal Government Center in Suquamish, WA;
- 40 participants of the Lac View Desert tribe at the Tribal Elders Insurance event in Watersmeet, MI;
- 40 participants in the Zia Pueblo Health Fair in Santa Fe, NM;
- 40 participants at the New Mexico Tribal Listening Session in Albuquerque, NM;
- 25 participants in the Salt Lake City Urban Center in Salt Lake City, UT;
- 25 participants at the Haskell Indian Nations University in Lawrence, KS;
- 20 participants of the Sauk-Suiattle Tribe in Darrington, WA;
- 18 participants in the Upper Skagit Tribe in Sedro Woolley, WA;
- 18 participants in the Lummi Tribe Elder Abuse and Vulnerable Adult Task Force meeting in Bellingham, WA;
- 17 participants in the Skokomish Reservation in Shelton, WA;
- 15 participants of the Doyon Tribe at the *my Social Security* and Understanding SSA for Doyon employees in Anchorage, AK;
- 15 participants in urban offices in Minneapolis, MN;
- 15 participants in the Tagiugmiullu Nunamiullu Housing Authority in Barrow, AK;



- 14 participants of the Doyon Tribe in Fairbanks, AK;
- 10 participants of the Confederated Band of Goshute in Ibapah, UT;
- 9 participants in the Tulalip Tribal Social Workers Workshop in Tulalip, WA;
- 8 participants of the Burns Paiute Tribe of the Burns, OR;
- 8 participants in the Puyallup Tribe in Tacoma, WA;
- 7 participants of the Lummi Tribe in Bellingham, WA;
- 5 participants of the Salt Lake City Urban Indian Center in Salt Lake City, UT;
- 5 participants of the Pee Dee Nation of Upper South Carolina in Little Rock, SC;
- 5 participants in the Hannahville Indian Community Vocational Rehabilitation Center in Escanaba, MI;
- 3 participants of the Catawba Nation in Columbia, SC;
- 3 participants in the South Carolina Commission for Minority Affairs in Columbia, SC;  
and
- 2 participants in the Kuskokwim Corporation in Anchorage, AK.

C1. We also participated in the following events:

- Financial Literacy Conference at the Salt Lake Indian Urban Center in Salt Lake City, UT;
- Disability Processing Training at Pine Ridge, SD;
- Wanblee HIS Health Fair in Wanblee, SD;
- CMS/Indian Health Service (IHS) training event in Salt Lake City, UT;
- Generation I Event in Denver, CO;
- Land Buy Back Event in Sioux Falls, SD;
- Haskell Indian Nations University Annual Safety, Health and Wellness Fair in Lawrence, KS;
- CMS at the Regional Training Session for Indian Health Service in Sioux City, IA;
- Scottsbluff Circle Pow Wow in Scottsbluff, NE;
- Robert Woolery Senior Memorial Pow Wow in Sedalia, MO;
- Winnebago 2016 Pow Wow in Winnebago, NE;
- Ponca Tribe of Nebraska Annual Pow Wow in Niobrara, NE;
- Omaha Tribe of Nebraska 212th Annual Hedewachi in Onawa, IA;
- Celebration Pow Wow 2016 in Lincoln, NE;
- 2016 Northern Cherokee Nation Gathering in Clinton, MO;
- 25th Annual Fort Omaha Intertribal Pow Wow in Omaha, NE;
- Creighton University 12th Annual All Nations Pow Wow in Omaha, NE;
- Tulalip Tribes of Indians at the Tulalip Tribal Social Workers Training Workshop in Marysville, WA;
- American Indian Day at the New Mexico State Capital Building in Santa Fe, NM;
- Santa Fe County Day at the New Mexico State Capital in Santa Fe, NM;
- Department of Intern Listening Session for the Land Buyback Program in Santa Fe, NM;
- State of Alabama Inter-Tribal Council Meeting in Montgomery, AL;
- State of Alabama Indian Affairs Board Meeting in Montgomery, AL;
- Great Mohican Pow Wow in Loudonville, OH;

- Indian Summer Event in Milwaukee, WI;
- Health and Wellness Fair at the Indian Council of Elderly in Milwaukee, WI;
- Eight Affordable Care Act Enrollment events in Detroit, MI;
- CMS Regional Training for IHS held for the Stockbridge Munsee Band of Mohican Indian Tribe in Bowler, WI;
- HHS 2016 Tribal Consultation workshop on grandparent benefits in Denver, CO;
- Pow Wow hosted by Montana State University in Bozeman, MT;
- 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Spring “Employment Day” Career Fair sponsored by IHS in Denver, CO; and
- Nansemond River Pow Wow in Norfolk, VA and Suffolk, VA.

D. We also conducted outreach with tribal communities through various media platforms, such as publishing newspaper articles and participating in radio programs with:

- KRCL American Indian Living National Radio Show 90.9 FM (Salt Lake City, UT);
- SDPB Oglala Sioux Tribe Radio Show (Porcupine, SD);
- KYAT Native American Radio Spots 94.5 FM (Gallup, NM);
- RYOX Comanche Radio 94.3 FM (Comanche, TX);
- KCNP Chickasaw Community Radio 89.5 FM (Ada, OK);
- KILI The Voice of the Lakota Nation Radio 90.1 FM (Porcupine, SD);
- KSUT Southern Ute Drum 91.3 FM (Ignacio, CO);
- KSFC Native American Calling Radio 91.9 FM (Spokane, WA);
- American Indian Radio Show (Mt. Kisco, NY);
- Lakota Country Times (Martin, SD);
- Native Sun Times (Tahlequah, OK);
- Military Hospital Television Show (Richmond, CA);
- Tribal Television Show (New York, NY); and
- Indian Country Today Media Network (Virtual).

E. To raise awareness about our expedited disability claim initiatives for military service members and veterans, we conducted outreach at the following events:

- Native Veterans Conference (Rehoboth, NM and Gallup, NM, July 2015);
- Tribal Veterans Representative Summit (Salem, OR, September 2015);
- National Gathering of American Indian American Veterans event (Wheaton, IL, September 2015);
- Native American’s Veterans Symposium (Santa Fe, NM, November 2015);
- Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs (Warm Springs, OR, November 2015);
- Northern NM Stand Down for Veteran’s Homeless Event (Santa Fe, NM, December 2015);
- Veteran’s Corner: Help a Vet Day (Noble, OK, February 2016);
- Veterans Stand Down at Little Wound School (Kyle, South Dakota, March 2016);
- Oglala Sioux Tribe, Standing Rock Reservation and Rosebud Reservation (Rapid City, SD, March 2016);
- Veterans Affairs Stand Down (Kyle, SD and Mission, SD, March 2016);

- Haskell Indian Nations University Annual Safety, Health and Wellness Fair (Lawrence, KS, March 2016);
- Crow, Northern Cheyenne, Rocky Boy, Flathead, Fort Belknap Community Exhibit (Bozeman, MT, March 2016);
- Veteran's Employment Stand Down at the Armed Forces Reserve Center (El Paso, TX, April 2016);
- Doyon Limited Tribal and Corporation Outreach (Fairbanks, AK, April 2016);
- Chickaloon Athavascan Nation Tribal Luncheon (Chickaloon, AK, April 2016);
- Montana Tribes Local Seminar (Billings, MT, April 2016);
- American Indian Community Exhibit (Minneapolis, MN, April 2016);
- Oglala Sioux Tribe Community Exhibit (Wanblee, SD, May 2016);
- Operation Stand Down for Eastern Arkansas Veterans (Pine Bluff, AR, May 2016);
- Norman Oklahoma Veterans Corner Memorial Day Outreach (Norman, OK, May 2016);
- Native American Indian Housing Council Community Exhibit (Honolulu, HI, May 2016);
- Chugachmiut Tribal Consortium (Seward, AK, May 2016);
- Suquamish Advocate Meeting (Suquamish, WA, May 2016);
- Oglala Sioux Tribe Community Exhibit (Kyle, SD, June 2016);
- Potawatomi Community Exhibit (Mayetta, KS, June 2016);
- Boise Veterans Affairs Medical Center (Boise, ID, June 2016);
- Native Veterans Summit (Grand Ronde, OR, July 2016); and
- Tribal Veteran Specialist Event (Omak, WA, July 2016).

F. In support of our continued outreach to Indian tribes, we share information about our programs, service delivery changes and respond to customer service inquiries at meetings. Since our last report, we met with:

- Tribal Elders of the Confederated Tribes of the Goshute Reservation (Ibapah, UT);
- Old Harbor Native Corporation for a Tribal Corporation Meeting (Anchorage, AK);
- Wind River Reservation Visit (Arapahoe, WY);
- Salt Lake Urban Indian Center (Salt Lake City, UT);
- Skull Valley Goshute Tribe (Tooele, UT);
- Confederated Goshutes (Ibapah, UT);
- Rapid City HIS Benefit Coordinator (Rapid City, SD);
- Rocky Mountain Tribal Leaders Council (Billings, MT);
- New Town Tribes (New Town, ND);
- Mountain Ute Tribe (Ute Mountain, CO);
- United Indians of All Tribes Foundation (Seattle, WA);
- Muckleshoot Indian Tribe (Auburn, WA);
- Seattle Indian Center (Seattle, WA);
- Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians (Salem, OR);
- Muckleshoot Indian Social Services (Auburn, WA);
- Shoshone-Bannock Tribe (Fort Hall, ID);
- Old Harbor Native Corporation (Anchorage, AK);

- Doyon Limited Alaska Regional Corporation (Fairbanks, AK);
- Chickaloon Native Village (Chickaloon, AK);
- Stillaguamish Tribe (Arlington, WA);
- Kuskokwim Corporation (Anchorage, AK);
- Alaska Native Medical Center (Anchorage, AK);
- Alaska Office of Children's Services (Anchorage, AK);
- Snoqualmie Tribe (Snoqualmie, WA);
- Coquille Indian Tribe (North Bend, OR);
- Mashantucket Pequot Tribe (Mashantucket, CT);
- Narragansett Tribe (Charlestown, RI);
- Tribal Health Centers (State of Maine);
- Santa Fe Indian Hospital (Santa Fe, NM);
- Native American Liaison for Santa Fe County (Santa Fe, NM);
- Sandia Pueblo Tribe (Santa Fe, NM);
- Office of the Special Trustee for American Indians (Santa Fe, NM);
- San Felipe Pueblo Tribe (San Felipe Pueblo, OK);
- Seneca Nation of Indians (Irving, NY);
- St. Regis Mohawk Tribe (Akwesasne, NY);
- Tonawanda Band of Seneca (Basom, NY);
- Choctaw Indian Tribe (Philadelphia, MS);
- Catawba Nation (Columbia, SC);
- Beaver Creek Indian Tribe (Columbia, SC);
- Santee Indian Organization (Columbia, SC);
- Pee Dee Indian Tribe (Columbia, SC);
- Waccamaw Indian Tribe (Columbia, SC);
- South Carolina Native American Chamber of Commerce (Columbia, SC);
- South Carolina Native American Advisory Committee (Columbia, SC);
- Red Cliff Tribe (Superior, WI);
- Oneida Tribe of Indians (Green Bay, WI);
- Nokomis Learning Center (Lincoln Park, MI);
- Grand Traverse Band of Ottawa and Chippewa Indians (Traverse City, MI);
- Augustin Center for American Indians (Chicago, IL);
- Kateri Center (Chicago, IL);
- Indiana Native American Indian Affairs Commission (Indianapolis, IN);
- Lac Court Oreilles Tribe (Hayward, WI);
- Bad River Tribe (Bayfield, WI);
- Ho Chunk Nation (La Crosse, WI);
- Gerald Ignace Indian Health Center (Milwaukee, WI);
- Southeastern Oneida Tribal Services Center (Milwaukee, WI);
- Ho-Chunk Milwaukee Branch Office (Milwaukee, WI);
- Spotted Eagle Center (Milwaukee, WI);
- American Indian Services (Lincoln Park, MI);
- Southeastern Michigan Indians (Centerline, MI);
- Saginaw-Chippewa Tribe (Saginaw, MI);

- Lac Vieux Desert Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Tribe (Ashland, WI);
- Keweenaw Bay Indian Community (Marquette, MI);
- Little River Band and Tribal Health Services (Ottawa, IN);
- Fairbanks Native Association (Fairbanks, AK);
- Nottawaseppi Huron Band of Potawatomi Indians (Fulton, MI);
- American Indian Alaskan Native Center (Chicago, IL); and
- White Earth Tribal Vocational Rehabilitation Office (White Earth, MN).